

*Maherns for Better Government
2313 S. Garfield Drive
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Marion County Election Board
200 E. Washington Street
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

Dear Election Board Members:

In response to your letter regarding a committee report for the campaign committee Maherns for Better Government, I'd like to explain why a 2008 Annual report wasn't filed. For the 2007 Annual Campaign finance report, the ending balance was \$0. I thought I had checked the box to disband the committee. In disbanding the committee, I knew there was no need to file a campaign finance report. I apparently missed checking that box, triggering the notice from the Board.

On Tuesday, March 17, 2009, I filed a campaign finance report for the 2008 Annual reporting period, indicating a \$0 balance and checking that box. There was no campaign activity for 2008.

I hope you'll consider waiving the proposed fine for the committee. It was not my intention to not file, and no campaign activity occurred during the period.

If you have any questions, or need more information from me, please feel free to contact me at 317.709.1228. I'd be grateful to help in any way I can.

Very Truly Yours,


Kristen Self
Treasurer

Elizabeth J. White

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